

**Mrs. Wilson Tells About Three Fowls**  
Turkey, Chicken or Goose May Be the Principal Dish for Dinner on Christmas Day

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THE choice of the piece de resistance for the Christmas dinner lies with the family taste. To some the majestic bird, the turkey, is par excellence, while others prefer a goose, a celery-fed duckling, or a pair of guinea fow, so that the hostess first please the family taste.

**How to Prepare the Turkey**  
Select a nice plump bird, and when it comes in from the market, singe the little pin-feathers (you will find the little strawberry clip in the house-keeping shop). If the butcher has not drawn the turkey, do so now. Wash well, and wipe dry inside and out. Place in the cold part of the refrigerator.

**To Prepare the Goose**  
Prepare the goose as directed for the turkey, and when ready to wash use the vegetable brush and scrub well, adding one tablespoon of baking-soda to the water; rinse well under plenty of running water. Place the goose in large preserving kettle, trussing to shape, and add four quarts of boiling water, cover closely and boil for one hour; if the goose, cold and place in the refrigerator or other cold place. It is then ready to roast in the usual manner.

**Chickens**  
A pair of roasting chickens may be the piece de resistance in place of turkey. Follow the directions for preparing in the same manner.

**How to Draw Poultry**  
Make an incision in the back of the neck after removing the head and feet and loosen the skin from the neck, remove the neck and the little food sock that lies in front of the breast at the neck; also all the veins, the windpipe and stringy adhering ligaments. Now make a cut directly across under the headbone just between the thigh and cut through the skin and muscle. Insert the hand, working up gently toward neck, and insert the fingers in the mass and pull out. Then around the neck and insert the fingers up in the rib structure and remove the lung tissue. Wipe the bird dry and store in cold place.

**Filling for Poultry**  
**Bread Filling**  
Grate stale loaf of bread and add:  
One-half cup of parsley.  
Two large onions, chopped fine.  
One teaspoon of poultry seasoning.  
One teaspoon of salt.  
One-half teaspoon of pepper.  
One-half cup of melted butter and two well-beaten eggs.  
Mix to blend and use to fill the Christmas poultry.

**Chestnut Filling**  
Boil one pound of chestnuts until soft, cool and remove the shells, put through the food chopper, adding:  
Two stalks of celery.  
And add to the bread filling.

**Wild Game Filling**  
Put through the food chopper:  
Four large onions.  
One stalk of celery.  
One-half cup of parsley.  
Three cups of coarse bread crumbs.  
Turn in bowl and add:  
One-half cup of melted butter.  
Two well-beaten eggs.  
Two teaspoons of salt.  
One-half teaspoon of pepper.  
One teaspoon of poultry seasoning.  
Mix well.

Truss the turkey in shape by turning under the wings and tying the legs close to the body of the bird, now rub the whole turkey liberally with cold lard or other good shortening, and dust lightly with flour. Put in a hot oven and as the turkey commences to brown; then turn the turkey on its breast with the bony structure of the neck to the top heat of the oven and baste every ten minutes. This method prevents the white meat from becoming dry and tasteless. When the turkey is turned on its breast, lower the heat to slow oven. Time allowance for twelve to fourteen pounds, 2 1/2 hours. A ten pound turkey should roast in 2 1/4 hours.

All poultry is cooked by this method. Time for roasting goose, 3 hours; chickens, 1 1/2 hours.

**MRS. WILSON'S ANSWERS**  
My dear Mrs. Wilson—Will you be good enough to give recipe for pepper-hash, stating whether the cabbage should be soaked in water before being cut? Also how to serve anchovies in oil.  
MISS S. L.

**Pepperhash**  
Remove the outside leaves from firm head of cabbage. Do not wash. Chop cabbage in very fine and place in bowl and add:  
One quart of finely chopped cabbage.  
Six green and four red sweet peppers, chopped fine after removing the seeds.  
Four tablespoons of mustard seed.  
Two tablespoons of celery seed.  
One-half cup of whole pickling spices.  
and sufficient malt vinegar to cover. When the vinegar is added, it must be fermented vinegar and not distilled or manufactured vinegar. Anchovies packed in oil are used as garnish, also as an appetizer on crumpets, and served on toasted strips of bread with vegetable or potato salad.

**Things You'll Love to Make**



**Kiddies Love Hankies All Their Own**  
These kiddie hankies are easy to make. Buy or make plain hemstitched or rolled edge handkerchiefs. Cut small animal forms of colored linen or lawn. Applique them in the corners of the handkerchiefs. Very attractive results can be obtained by combining different colors to form the animals or flowers applied. Two or three of these handkerchiefs in a pretty box will delight any kiddie.  
FLORA.

**The Woman's Exchange**  
What to Give  
To the Editor of Women's Page:  
Dear Madam—I have a sister twelve years old and a little boy friend three years old for whom I would like to buy Christmas presents which would be nice, but not very expensive. Now, just don't know what would be the best, so I am coming to you, as many others do, for some wise suggestions, commend of your kind help. A. C.  
There are so many things I can think of for both these people. For your sister, you could choose handkerchiefs, a string of beads (lots of these do not cost much), a tiny bunch of artificial flowers, a collar or a set of collars and cuffs. As for the little boy of three, a mechanical toy would be perfect, and any toy department has lots of these. If you cannot find any you like, though, for the price you want to pay, a book with a good many bright pictures in it surely would be liked or a ball or a small toy animal.

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practically means a change of shoes. Why not give her a pair?  
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Amid the quiet charm of Valiant's, "Last Minute" Christmas Shopping is really a pleasure.  
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**Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store**  
Has Just Received Many Brand-New Shipments of Fine Christmas Gifts at \$5 and Less



**Annual Christmas Sale for Children**  
**Dainty Creepers, Rompers and Beach Suits, \$1.75**  
Enchanting little garments! Beautifully fresh and spic-and-span from just-unpacked boxes. Each Christmas season a certain manufacturer sends us his odd twos and threes of charming poplin and chambray suits that ordinarily cost much more. And each season mothers and aunts and uncles carry them off in fat bundles 'most as soon as they appear.  
White, corn color, pink or blue. Carefully made with all sorts of new little curves and quirks to the trimming. Hand embroidered or trimmed with sprightly frills. Not all sizes or all colors in each style, but a delightful lot to choose from. Sizes 2 to 5 years.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Sale of Gay Fiber Silk Scarfs, \$2.25**  
Specially purchased and arrived just in time to hurry out in holiday boxes. Smooth soft, shimmering-silky ones with fringed ends. They are almost two yards long, and will add no end of bright effectiveness to dark cloth frock or top coat. Two-tone and multi-tone stripes in combination colors that include gray, henna, tomato red, black, navy and French blue.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Sale of Women's Black Silk Stockings, 65c Pair**  
Gifts that any feminine member of the family will surely discover with pleasure. They are seconds of a well-known trade-marked hose, with the mercerized tops and soles that wear so well. Pure thread silk, of course, and a clear, pretty weave. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Sale of Embroidered White Linen Handkerchiefs, 10c Each**  
Once before this holiday season we had a shipment of these remarkable 10c handkerchiefs, and they fairly whisked away!  
Small wonder! Think of getting pure linen handkerchiefs with nicely hemstitched hems and daintily embroidered corners for 10c! The quality of the linen is remarkably good at the price, too.  
**Other Handkerchiefs for Women, 12 1/2c to 75c**  
Plain white at 12 1/2c and plain and embroidered ones at 15c. More elaborately embroidered kinds at 25c, and white or colored effects, many hand embroidered, 50c to 75c. And they are every one all-linen. Isn't that nice to know?  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Boys' All-Wool Blue Serge Knickerbockers, \$1.75**  
Well-made blue serge knickerbockers that will give a lot of hardy service. They are fully lined and have taped reinforced seams to lengthen their term of use. This special purchase makes it possible to offer them at a third under their usual price. Sizes 8 to 18 years.  
(Down Stairs Store for Men, on the Gallery, Market)

**Sale of Children's Part-Wool Socks With Fancy Tops, 35c Pair**  
3 Pair for \$1  
Just in time to be gay Christmas stockings for the small boys and girls of the family. Nice-looking three-quarter length hose which are seconds of a grade that sells for almost double. Imperfections scarcely show in the woolly ribbed weave. Heather mixtures with contrasting figures in the rolled tops. Sizes 7 to 10.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Graduated Pearl Bead Necklaces, \$5**  
One of the most popular of Christmas gifts and one that can be bought in the wee-est little snatch of time, if one's days are busy. The luster of real pearls has been faithfully imitated in these smoothly graduated strands, and they fasten with 10-karat gold clasps. 24, 27 and 30 inch lengths. Beautiful gifts and lasting, because the beads are indestructible.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Gifts of Silver**  
Plated silver candlesticks and bud vases are 50c to \$2. Pepper and salt shakers are \$1.50 to \$3.50 and are sterling silver. Serving pieces with sterling handles are \$1.50 to \$2.25. The designs are carefully chosen ones that will harmonize with standard patterns.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Pure Linen Luncheon Sets, \$3**  
Complete thirteen-piece sets, all nicely finished with blue-edged scalloping. The linen is fine and smooth. The embroidery is securely finished to assure satisfactory laundering. A most attractive \$3 gift!  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**New Satin-Finish Bed Sets, \$6.50**  
Snowy white ones that are as practical as they are attractive. The spreads are 78x88 inches and have scalloped edges, and the bolster throws match. Packed in a box they make a gift the housewife will surely like.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Silk Petticoats, \$5**  
Excellent quality radium silk petticoats finished with silk embroidery and scalloping have just come in. Equally pretty heavy silk jersey petticoats have pointed, pleated flounces. Brown, black, henna, peacock, purple, Copenhagen and green.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Satin Bedroom Slippers, \$1.50**  
Pretty pompon trimmed ones of quilted satin in rose, Copenhagen blue, black and lavender.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Linen Dinner Sets Begin at \$6**  
The girl with a Hope Chest or the already-established housewife would be delighted with a gift of one of these sets. They carry such a sense of completeness, each one consisting of linen cloth and six napkins to match, all nicely hemstitched.  
**\$6 Sets**  
have 57x87-inch linen cloths and six 16x16-inch linen napkins.  
**\$10 Sets**  
are of heavier quality linen and have 58x60-inch cloths and six 16x16-inch napkins.  
**\$12.50 Sets**  
are of double sateen damask linen and have 64x64-inch cloths and six 19x19-inch napkins.  
**\$13.50 Sets**  
are of heavy Irish linen damask and have 68x68-inch cloths and six 20x20-inch napkins.  
**\$15 Sets**  
have 67x84-inch linen cloths and six 21x21-inch napkins.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Rugs in "Scatter" Sizes**  
That word "scatter" exactly describes them, for they are the kinds and sizes of rugs that one flings over an expanse of bare floor for extra color or warmth, or that one places judiciously over a worn place on carpet or large rug. If there is perhaps such a place in your home, why not remember it at Christmas?  
**Hit-and-Miss Rag Rugs**  
18x36 to 36x72 inch sizes at 45c to \$1.75.  
**Plain Blue Washable Rugs**  
18x36 to 36x72 inch sizes at \$1.25 to \$4.25.  
**Oval-Plaited Rag Rugs**  
18x36 to 36x72 inch sizes at \$1.75 to \$7.50.  
**Axminster Rugs**  
18x36 to 36x83 inch sizes at \$2.50 to \$6.85.  
**Wilton Rugs**  
27x54 to 65x63 inch sizes at \$9.25 to \$16.50.  
(Down Stairs Store, Chestnut)

**Velour-and-Tapestry Scarfs \$2.25 to \$6.50**  
New velour scarfs with attractively tapestried ends can be had in blue, rose, green or brown, shades that will look especially well beneath wall or table lamps.  
Table scarfs, 16x50 inches, at \$4.50.  
Piano scarfs, 16x72 inches, at \$6.50.  
Small scarfs, 16x24 inches, at \$3.  
Small novelty scarfs of velour and tapestry in two unusual shapes are \$2.25 and \$2.50.  
(Down Stairs Store, Chestnut)

**Silk Thread Cotton Tissues, 65c Yard**  
1923 patterns and weaves in this favorite sort of dress material, a length of which would make a most acceptable gift.  
Small checks, larger plaids and striped effects, some with tiny embroidered figures and some with ruffled stripes. Green, rose, yellow, blue, brown and lavender.  
**Underwear Crepes, 25c to 50c Yard**  
Plain crepes in pink, blue or white, 25c to 45c yard. Novelty checks, 85c yard. Novelty stripes in pink, green, yellow, lavender and blue, 50c yard.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**New Today! Men's Artificial Silk-Striped Shirts, \$2**  
Christmas gift shirts that are bright and silky and cut so well that any man will enjoy them.  
Made especially to Wanamaker order. First shipment sold out in almost no time. Hundreds of new shirts have just arrived—in all sizes. Certainly good fortune for belated shoppers.  
**Men's 35c and 50c Neckties**  
will be found in the Men's Down Stairs Store on the Gallery, just inside the Subway door. Thousands of them, in scores of patterns and colors. Quick service.  
**Men's Bathrobes, Rubberized Raincoats Wool Mufflers**  
flannel pajamas, plain color cotton shirts, suspenders and belts and other gifts for men are also on this Down Stairs Store Gallery. All these gifts have been carefully selected for quality style and dimensions. Also they are very moderately priced.  
(Down Stairs Store for Men, on the Gallery, Market)

**And Still the Christmas Gloves Come Hurrying In**  
All these women's gloves are brand-new shipments just unpacked and specially priced. It is a satisfaction for any shopper to know that she can safely expect all sizes and full color assortments.  
**Gloves for Women**  
**12-Button Chamois-Lisle Gloves, \$1 Pair**  
Imported chamois-lisle gloves with two clasps at the wrist. Embroidered backs. Mode, brown, gray and pongee.  
**Strap-Wrist Chamois-Lisle Gloves, 75c Pair**  
Self-embroidered. Smooth, soft and trim-fitting. Gray, mode and brown.  
**Black Duplex Lisle Gloves, 35c Pair**  
Two-clasp style with self-color embroidered backs. Sizes 6 1/2 to 8 only.  
**One-Clasp Cape Gloves \$1.35 Pair**  
Full pique sewn, soft, well finished and serviceable. Tan, brown, mode and heaver.  
**Gloves for Children**  
Fleece-lined fabric gauntlets, 65c pair.  
Fleece-lined leather gauntlets, 85c to \$1.75 pair.  
Unlined buckskin gauntlets with imitation leather cuffs, \$1 pair.  
Scotch wool gloves, 85c pair.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Brassieres Have Unexpected Gift Possibilities, \$1 to \$4**  
Without losing a whit of their practicality, they have caught the prevailing holiday spirit and translated it into terms of lace and ribbon and dainty wee rosebuds, much to the satisfaction of every one who appreciates pretty underthings.  
There are bandeaux of satin-striped silk poplin at \$1 and lace and satin camisole-brassieres, like the one pictured, at \$1.50. Bandeaux and long-line brassieres in pretty broches and silk brocades at \$1.50 and \$2.  
Bandeaux, made principally of imitation Cluny lace and a bit of flesh-color satin at \$2.50, are pictured.  
Long, firmly reinforced brassieres for larger figures are of imitation flet lace, with ribbon straps and a wreath of wee silk flowers at \$3.  
Dainty confections of lace and crepe de chine achieve the necessary tailored line by cluster tuckings at \$4.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Sateen-Covered Quilts Filled With Wool, \$10**  
Probably the most popular single offering of the Down Stairs Bedding Shop, for it is difficult to keep pace with the holiday demand for these good, moderately priced quilts. They have plain sateen backs and borders. The tops are of sateen in an effective chrysanthemum pattern, scroll stitched. Pink, blue, rose or green. Filled with pure wool.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**New \$5 Bath Robes for Women**  
Best ones we have had all season! Made of soft blanketing in patterns that reverse the colorings of the outside on the inside of the garment. Short rolling collar, front, pocket and cuffs are bound with lustrous satin ribbon. There is a cord girdle. Plaid patterns, flowered effects and conventional figures in light and dark colors.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Gift Frocks for School Girls, \$2.25 to \$8.75**  
With Christmas holidays just full of jolly parties, a gift dress is sure to be heartily appreciated.  
**Gingham Bloomer Dresses, \$2.25 and \$3.25**  
Two pretty styles with slip-over tops and warm bloomers. Tan and blue, braid-trimmed or tan, green and blue with embroidery. Sizes 7 to 10 years.  
**Combination Velveteen Dresses, \$5.75 and \$8.75**  
Dresses with velveteen blouses and plaid black and white skirts are \$5.75. Velveteen dresses with wool crepe blouses are \$8.75. Sizes 8 to 14 years.  
**Dark Blue Taffeta Dresses, \$6.75**  
Three styles of straight-line frocks with pretty silvered braiding. Sizes 8 to 14 years.  
**White Voile and Organdie Dresses, \$5.75 to \$8.50**  
Unusually pretty because they are so simple and girlish. Sashed or with ribbon girdles. Sizes 8 to 12 years.  
(Down Stairs Store, Market)